



KEEP AWAY—Joe Nelson playing keep-away with Kith Bloom, will be seen in action against Denver Friday night.

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Rally, games, dance this weekend

Trials open; first it is convicted

Dr. Martin speaker at Denver confab

After his recent trip to Grand Junction, Colorado, where he was a featured speaker at the Western Colorado Horticultural Convention, Dr. Thomas L. Martin, Dean of the college of applied science at Brigham Young University, is preparing for another speaking assignment.

"The Green Thumb," official organ of the Society, printed the following in its January 1950 issue, "... some of the on of town speakers will be Thomas Martin from Provo, Utah, who has charmed audiences the past two years."

In contrast to his assignment at Grand Junction where he spoke to 2500 farmers on some fundamental farming problems, Dr. Martin will address a group of affluent men, who are interested in producing luxurious trees, shrubs, and flowers, around their homes.

Several units on deck for Penal Court action on 'rushing' abuses

The first in a chain of trials dealing with organizational infractions was held last Tuesday night when the Coets Tie social organization was tried and convicted on four counts of code violations.

A surprise move on the part of the inter-organizational court, the conviction followed on the heels of a week of non-descript "rush" parties that were spotted with code infractions. A string of like violators are due to confront the Penal Court every night for the remainder of the week.

Conviction was decreed by the Court following a spotless 35-minute presentation of the prosecution's case that was based on the following four counts:

1. The organization was serving refreshments at an

first group to feel the student-administered wrist slapping—pledged "guilty" to all counts and was (1) deprived of any form of participation in the Spring Songfest and (2) fined \$1.00 per member.

The group offered no defense in answer to the accusations, but played their role in the ice-breaking test case with as few emotions as possible.



Defender Howard "... guilty, I guess."

Prosecutor Knecht "... this hurts me too!"

open house held Thursday, Jan. 12, 1950.

2. The organization issued invitations or reminders (having the form of bids) to certain groups of non-members.

3. The organization was using two registers at the open house; one for the male floor and one for upstairs. (The latter was not submitted to the Himes office.)

4. The organization was meeting illegally to consider means to be accepted by the group.

The Coets Tie organization, the

lousal outbursts and fiery rejoinders as were necessary.

Most of the lay members present seemed oblivious to the infractions, and at times they were best characterized with their countenances radiating confusion over the jurisprudence of the Court.

At one point during the trial a member of the defense asked the Court if "members of the Court were not also guilty of these same charges?" However, Ralph Benson assured the group of girls that any and all violators, regardless of position, would be subjected to similar trials and penalties.

Toks back assembly

"Keep Laughing" with Ralph Edwards as master of ceremonies was the theme of the To Kalon sponsored student body assembly held today at 11 a.m. in the Joseph Smith Auditorium.

Beverly Nalder and Marilyn Ballif were the general co-chairmen of the event in charge of arrangements.

Opera Workshop sets practice dates for "Pagliacci" rehearsals

The Brigham Young University Opera Workshop makes announcement this week of the selection and casting of two famous opera works, "Pagliacci" by Leoncavallo, and "Down In The Valley" by KuWeil.

The two operas will be presented six nights, February 27-March 4, by a group of outstanding soloists under the direction of Newell B. Weight.

Selected to lead the lead roles in "Pagliacci" are Eldon Wood, John Corey as Canio; Howard Putnam and Myrtle Brown as Tonio; Dixie Ann Meschum and Marcene Camp as Nedda; Vern Wilcock and Rex Johnson as Peppo; and John Hyde as Silvio.

Cast as leads in "Down in the Valley" are Lynn Detweiler as Brack Weaver; Charlotte Jones and Colleen Briggs as Jenny Parsons; Joe Hill as the leader; Earl Reed as Bouche; and Jay Fowles as the preacher.

The presentation of two operas during this season finds no precedence in the five years of opera history at BYU. This precedence has been followed during the summer opera season.

"Pagliacci" which is traditionally coupled with another work for an evening's program, has always been an outstanding favorite of opera goers since its initial production in 1892.

In presenting the opera "Down in the Valley" the workshop will bring to Utah, for the first time, a work which is receiving extensive recognition in eastern music circles. This work points to a new era of American dramatic vocal music.

Assisted by Mr. Weight in training the leads are Mary Ann Murdoch, Dorothy Gilchrist, and Glen Montague, graduate assistants.

by "Hunk" Williams

Basketball "lovers" and "followers" will receive their first taste of home conference hardwood games when the Cats play host to a pair of top Skyline Six teams, Denver and Utah State, Friday and Saturday night in Springville.

Brigham Young University students will reel out the enthusiasm for the "prodigal" return of the team to their home floor by attending a special pep rally and mat dance at 5 p.m. Friday in the Social Hall.

Sponsors of the rally-dance affair is the rally committee who hopes to stir up the traditionally "high" school spirit that exists within the student-followers.

Committee members are Doug Stone, George Sorenson, and Dick Hulse, all of Berkeley, Cal; Marie Hood and John Talsky of Provo, and F. A. Gutierrez, El Paso, Tex.

Musical for the admission-free dance will be played by the Wes Berry orchestra, it was reported by the committee.

Newly elected cheerleaders, Gene Jensen of Burbank, Cal, and Hank Williams from Mesa, Ariz., along with cheer king Dick Moody will introduce new yells at the late afternoon pep rally. The young five has a "streak" of bad luck with field goal percentages in last Friday and Saturday's encounters with the Wyoming Cowboys in the neighboring "coldspot" at Laramie. They dropped both games by a not-impressive score for each evening.

But they quickly redeemed themselves Monday night with a

New method to be introduced in picking "wheels"

Stan Hall, Compton, California Associate Editor of the Banyan has announced a new method of selecting class personalities for the Banyan.

These 1850 personality candidates will be nominated by any student who will submit a petition of their choice. Each petition must include reasons why the student nominated would be a class personality. Petitions may be obtained at the Banyan office after Jan. 23.

During the election days, a list of candidates will be posted at the polls. Students will be allowed to vote for personalities from each class.

The pictures of the students elected will be in the various class sections of the Banyan. Last year they were designated as class wheels; whereas this year they carry the title of class personalities.

The students who are elected will be announced at the Banyan-line Ball, Feb. 10.

Schedule of events

Friday

3-6 p.m.—Free mat dance and rally in Social Hall

6:30 p.m.—Freshman vs. Weber Junior College

8:00 p.m.—BYU vs. Denver University in basketball at Springville gymnasium.

Saturday

8:30 p.m.—Fresh vs. Utah State freshmen.

8:00 p.m.—BYU vs. Utah State freshmen in Springville.

Very "snappy" win over the young and impressive Denver Freshmen in the latter's tremendous fieldhouse in the Colorado capital city.

Next Monday night, the Cougar quintet will journey to the "Fanner" "central" at Utah State in Logan for a second game following a one-day rest between the Saturday stampede here.

Symphony to perform tonight

Probably the largest crowd of the year is in prospect for the appearance Thursday at 8:15 p.m. in the Smith building auditorium at Brigham Young University of the Utah Symphony orchestra, according to Prof. John C. Swenson, assistant director of the BYU-Community concert series.

Of particular interest to symphony music will be the playing of the works of four BYU composers on the program. Dr. Leon Dallin, assistant professor of music, will be represented by his "Film Overture." Crawford Gates, instructor in music at BYU, now studying toward an advanced degree in music in the east, will have his "Interlude" from the "Promised Valley" played. Glen Dalby, for the University of Utah, has his "Suite Elegiac" on the program.

The orchestra will also play Beethoven's "Overture to Lenore" the Mozart "Symphony No. 35," Liszt's "Les Preludes," and the Polka and Pique from "Schvande" by Weinberger.

Also of interest to Provo audiences will be the number of former Provo and BYU musicians who are now playing with the orchestra. They form one of the largest groups in the orchestra, according to Maurice Abravanel, director.

Need Cash? So what?

Why not sell those old skis or Joe's skis? You can advertise for classified section of the UNIVERSITY? Two or three lines will be all that is necessary to let the students know what you have available for sale. For the small charge of 10¢ a line you can advertise for lost items, for sale items, and maybe that date you need for the dance next week. Drop in the University office any day from 2-4 p.m. or call 2460, ext. 110.

Penny-pinchers abuse smileage card privileges, say movie men

Due to the misuse of Smileage Cards by BYU students, the theaters of Provo have announced that they will not sponsor sales of cards next year.

This decision was reached after investigation had shown that, in spite of many attempts to curb the practice of "passing" Smileage Cards, students persisted in loaning them out to people not entitled to them or have bought them under false pretenses.

On occasion students have been asked to provide other proof of their identity, such as a driver's license, club membership cards, etc. When even this measure failed to stop illegal use of the Smileage Cards, students were required to have their picture put on their Activity Cards.

Many students have complained that this evidence of distrust is unnecessary, and unfair. However, it must be remembered that the misuse of Activity and Smileage cards has not been confined to a few, but is widespread throughout the school.

After all other alternatives have failed to prevent further misuse of student privileges such a drastic measure was a necessity. Neither the pleas of the school administration nor the threats of the theaters have had the desired effect.

Downtown theater managers report that last quarter not only BYU students but, strangely enough, high school students, citizens of Provo and nearby towns, students' parents and families, non-students wives or husbands, had used Smileage Cards. In one or two cases, even college faculty members and their wives were discovered using the cards.

When asked what plan could be inaugurated to stop illegal use of Smileage Cards, theaters said that nearly all their alternatives other than direct discontinuation of Cards had been tried, with failure. Therefore they have agreed among themselves not to sell Smileage Cards next year.

The original purpose of the cards was to build up the Student Union Building Fund of the college, and to provide a maza for college students to save money in the local movie houses. When everyone and his dog has in illegal Smileage Card, it is obvious that the Student Union Fund does not benefit, and the theaters lose money.



WHO'S SMILING—This collegiate shananagan was pulled a few hundred times too often, according to Provo's theatre owners who think Hank Williams, Dick Moody, and Gene Jensen are over-doing a good thing. The movie men have found it necessary to call off the campaign.

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Wife of educator scores frats in latest book

The dangerous influence wielded by sororities and fraternities on college campuses is greater today than ever before, according to Mrs. Glenn Frank, widow of the former president of the University of Wisconsin and a former sorority member, who released the results of a special investigation.

In "Citadels of Snobbery," Mrs. Frank warns that sororities and fraternities promote a "complete-

ly un-American, undemocratic caste system."

She charges that the fraternity and sorority practice of screening applicants for membership on the basis of income, religion and social position is responsible for innumerable personal tragedies.

She disagrees with those who brush away failure to make a fraternity with the excuse "That's life," and points out that the ingredients for success in life—ability, courage and industry, are not considered in selecting new fraternity members.

Mrs. Frank reports that frat-religious discrimination by setting quotas for Catholic students and banning Jews. As a result, she says, Jewish students have been forced to form their own groups, thus creating segregation on the campus.

While we are spending billions abroad to save democracy, Mrs. Frank urges us to spend something at home to insure democracy. She call on the parents of

America to get their legislators

to wipe out fraternities and sororities by legislative act. If we fail to do this, she asks, how can we expect democratic leaders to emerge from colleges and universities which have desecrated that ideal?

KBYU broadcasts game

KBYU, the campus radio station, will do its own broadcast of the freshman game, and will also carry the varsity game this Friday and Saturday. If you can't go (you're in the majority), tune in 660 on the dial for basketball.

Apostle speaks at devotional

Dr. John A. Widstoe, member of the council of the twelve apostles, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, prescribed for Brigham Young University students, Tuesday, a pattern for living. Dr. Widstoe was speaker at devotional services in the Joseph Smith building on the campus.

He suggested that the students build upon four cornerstones—one, faith; two, education; three, industry; and four, co-operation. It was adherence to these principles which enabled the church to carve an empire out of the western wilds, the speaker said. "Not only individuals but the whole world needs three principles," Dr. Widstoe said.

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Social Doings...

Tri Beta

William Romney is the newly elected president of Tri Beta. The other newly elected officers are Jim Little, vice-president; Harvey A. Lund, secretary-treasurer; and Stan Welsh, publicity manager.

Casta Tie

The Casta Tie rush party, "In a Persian Market" will be held tonight at the Joaquin school. Joy Eckley and Char Jones planned the decorations. Excerpts from Casta assembly will be broadcast over KBYU tonight at 9 p.m.

Templars

The Templars will hold their two rush parties on Thursday, Jan. 19 at 8 p.m. and Saturday, Jan. 21 after the game.

Thursday's party will be a get-acquainted bowling party and Saturday there will be dancing, entertainment and refreshments (Dates optional). Tom Farraro, chairman and Doug Phillips, Wendell Jensen and Gordon Harris will supervise all activities.

To Kalon

"The To Kalon social unit presented today's assembly, "Truth or Consequences" under the direction of Marilyn Ballif.

The Toke's first rush party, the Treasure of To Kalon will be tonight at 640 North University avenue, with Joanne Eliason as chairman. A second rush party will be a slumber party, Friday night after the Val Hyrie-To Kalon toboggan party. Barbara Robison is planning the sleeping party.

Fidelas

The Fidelas girls will have their second rush party Sunday, Jan. 22, 3 p.m. at 1302 North Cherry Lane.

International Relations

The International Relations club will meet Thursday, Jan. 18, at 2 p.m. in room 210 Joseph Smith Building.

The club is not exclusively for foreign students, but for all students interested in issues of international consequence.

The meetings consist of panel discussions in which political and economic issues are presented. This week the club will discuss the Formosa and China problem.

Beta Sigma

Beta Sigma, the new bacteriological organization, will have its openhouse Thursday, Jan. 19, 7:30

p.m. in room 350 Brimhall Building. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

The speaker Thursday will be Dr. Hendrik Verulius former public health officer for the military government in Japan. His topic will be "Public Health Work in Japan."

Beta Sigma was organized last quarter. Officers are: John C. Spendlove, president; Joseph Tully, vice president; and Kay Nishitani, secretary. Dr. Dean Anderson is the sponsor.

Brigadier

Belmont Anderson, Brigadier social chairman, announces a rush party will be Thursday, Jan. 19, for all men who attended the Brig openhouse.

The group will meet at lower campus at 7 p.m. and proceed to the lake for skating and dancing, depending on the weather.

Val Hyrie

The Val Hyrie weekend will be well filled. Friday night is the Tok-VK Toboggan party at Timp Haven. The Val Hyries, pledges and their dates will go to the Boat Harbor this Saturday evening for skating and dancing.

Viking

The Vikings will take their pledges to Twin Pines tonight for their initial winter quarter rush party. Saturday the Vikings, pledges and dates will spend the day at Timp Haven skating and tobogganing, and dance back on campus for a night-cap.

Delta Phi

Delta Phi played host to their pledges Monday, Jan. 18, at the Manau ward with an openhouse rush party. The program consisted of a dramatic skit on missionaries, before and after presentation of the dream-girl, Fern Stoddard, a resume of the fraternity's purpose and history, and musical numbers by the Delta Phi chorus and quartet.

Grant Evans is the new president of the Delta Phi chorus which is planning a tour to Las Vegas, Nev. soon.

Val Norn

Thanks go to Muriel Steadman for her work on the traditional "School Rush Party" at Nancy Taylors. After the party dates of the activities and rubbers will meet at the Grandview Church for a gala semi-formal dance.



WINTER FESTIVAL—Lee Bartlett and George Sorocan are part of AM's hard-working "Polar Playtime" committeemen.

"Polar Playtime" is theme of annual frigid Snow Carnival

by Bob Crockett

"Polar Playtime" has been selected as the theme for the traditional Brigham Young University winter carnival. The festive celebration is set for Jan. 26, 27 and 28.

Deadline for queen candidate petitions is 5 p.m. today. Each nominating sheet must contain 50 signatures of BYU students and two five by seven inch portrait photographs. If the competition is as heated as the sponsoring Associated Men Students anticipate, close to 30 candidates will be vying for the coveted royalty award.

Merry making Cougars will start the gala "snow days" with the Thursday convocation. An entertaining program is promised for the student body by Carolyn Blair and Julieene Jennings, assembly committee co-chairmen.

Things really begin popping on Friday. At 3 p.m. the snow modeling is judged. Any campus organization or group of individuals is invited to participate in the sculpture fun. The big event of the Friday session is the all-school skating party on Utah Lake from 7 p.m. to midnight.

Several buses will provide transportation for all students needing a ride to the rink. At 7 p.m., buses will leave from the Women's Gym on the lower campus, Allen Hall, Knight Hall and the new Campus Dorm.

The skating committee has planned continuous fun at the party. Speed and figure skating

contests will be held about 9 p.m. and an ice show will be presented following these. To rest and feed the cold hungry BYU students there will be a huge bonfire and hot cocoa and donuts.

Buses will leave Provo early Saturday morning for Timp Haven where athletic minded Cougars may ski and toboggan all day. A wide selection of contests is slated for the skiers. Downhill, cross-country, and slalom prizes will be offered in both the women's and men's divisions.

At 9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 28, the climax of the entire fun-packed weekend arrives with the winter carnival dance.

Wes Barry and his popular band will play at the Joseph Smith Ballroom, dubbed "Snow Palace" for the ball. Thane Murray will occupy the bandstand at the "Ice Paradise" normally known as the Social Hall.

During the intermission the queen will be crowned, prizes given and a novel floor show presented.

A total of \$40 in prizes will be awarded in the snow modeling contest. In other fields, loving cups will be the victors' reward. Refreshments will be prepared for the skating party, skiing day and the dance by the Home Economics club.

The traditional weekend is under the direction of Dick Brower and Jarrett Jarvis and their committee of 20 "Y" students. Sponsor for the celebration are the AMS.

Val Norn Ready for fashion tea

The Val Norn Fashion Show and Tea, one of the university's main winter quarter events, will be Saturday, Jan. 21, in the Banquet Hall of the Joseph Smith Building. "The Day of a Val Norn" is the scheme in which clothes of the latest fashion will be shown.

The Alumni of Val Norn traditionally sponsor the show for the active, cheerful, rubbers and mothers. Barbara Victor is the active chairman co-operating with the alum chairman.

Models using their own clothes are Charlene Bodmer, Bonnie Hansen, Jeanne Crockett, Beverly Agnew, Jane Adams, Pat Bunker, Joyce De Witt, Phyllis Parker, Audene Dawson, Barbara Victor, Carol Fletcher and Barbara Hardy.

Gordon Leverdier, Jack Jones, Vera Tueller and McKee Rinaldall will improve the local scenery. Pauline and Claire Dyrreng will furnish special music and Juliette Jennings will play background music. Dorothy Dixon Harrison will be the Alum Narrator.

Fidelas Invitational committee named

With the theme of "Swanlake" the Fidelas social unit will conduct their annual invitational Jan. 27.

Marilyn Morley is general chairman for the annual semi-formal dance which will be held at the Grandview School with the music of Wes Barry's orchestra. Each Fidelas member has been given two invitations to be given to friends, besides one for herself and her date.

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beginning to feel the squeeze...

Demand for employment forces screening of student workers

Because of the increased demand for student employment and the limited funds in the departments of the university, a more rigid screening policy of applicants will be enforced.

Word has been received from the office of student employment that with many students being forced to discontinue school because of lack of funds, the intent of this policy will be to provide employment for those students who must supply their basic college needs by work.

These basic needs have been interpreted to include board and room, books and tuition, minimum clothing, and some recreation and incidental expense items.

Mr. James R. Clark, Chairman of Student Employment, stated, "... any use or intended use of funds earned through student employment on the campus for purposes other than these basic requirements will be considered a misinterpretation of the basic philosophy underlying the purpose of the University in providing employment for students."

Illegitimate expenditures will include the liquidation of large debts, the purchase of automobiles or the expense of their operation for campus purposes, and superfluous expense for clothing or recreation.

These rules will apply to all cases except when the needs of a department require the services of someone skilled in a technical job. In these cases the jobs will be given to persons capable of filling the requirements, regardless of financial status.

The aim of this screening policy is to promote a spirit of fairness to all, and to distribute employment to those who are most deserving of it.

The Chairman of Student Employment will be available for personal consultation daily from 10 to 3:30 p.m. and on Wed., Thurs., and Fri. from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. during the winter quarter at his office in the Press building.

Temple excursion set for next week

A Temple excursion for the Salt Lake Temple is announced by Dan Brown, Campus Branch Genealogical Committee Chairman, for Thursday, Jan. 26, 1950.

Members desiring to attend this excursion are requested to contact Mr. Brown at once. A chartered bus will furnish transportation.

'Banyantine' Ball slated for Feb. 10

Initial plans are underway for the annual Banyantine Ball to be held Feb. 10, at the Joseph Smith Building and the Social Hall.

Tickets will go on sale at the Banyan office and the Joseph Smith Lobby at a date to be announced later. The tickets will sell for \$1.00.

Co-chairmen, Al Purnell, Salt Lake City and Stanley Hall, Compton, Calif., have announced the following committees for the dance: decorations, Carolyn Cox; program, Donna Tanner; entertainment, Marilyn Ferrin and Carolyn Stevens; tickets, Grayson Gurr; refreshments, Sally Kirkham; Banyan queen selection, John Tucker.

The theme and detailed plans of the ball will be announced at a later date.

Invasion from the North...

Socially 'hep' Canadians take over Y domain

There is something about Provo that appeals to Canadians. At least so it would seem from enrollment year after year at BYU of a large group of students from the nation to our North.

This year, as in years past, Canadians who have flocked to the BYU campus have taken prominent positions in student life. Many of the '50 students are active in university affairs, and a surprising number of BYU faculty members claim Canada as their home. One of the most active organizations on the campus, the Canadian Club has sponsored a dinner-dance, parade floats, sports and parties, and is now making some long-term plans for the remainder of the school year.

When the annual homecoming parade wound its way through the crowded streets of downtown Provo in early autumn, there was a float in the train which attracted much attention. It was a replica of the Canadian Temple at Cardston, Alberta, and was prepared by members of the Canadian club.

Eager to welcome newcomers from "home" to BYU, Canadians sponsored a series of parties at the opening of the quarter to get acquainted and recruit assistance in their program for the year.

In the realm of sports, Canadians all enjoy hockey. BYU club members are in the process of organizing a team to play the national sport, and plan to compete this winter with teams from Ogden and Salt Lake City. Although all BYU Canadians will not play hockey, most of them will skate during the winter at parties sponsored by the club.

Canadians on the BYU campus play important roles in university life. Many hold responsible student body offices and others are leaders in campus activities. Take, for instance, Kathleen Taylor. She is a member of the board or committee of the university, functioning in the newly-established honor system of the school. She is also a member of the university legislative council, and a member of the senior scholastic society, White Keys.

Calvin Brandle, from Sterling, is president of the Canadian club and a member of the Intercollegiate Knights, service unit for men. In 1948, Carol Pitther, Lethbridge, Alberta, was Homecoming Queen. She is a member of the Y Cal-

caree, sophomore scholastic service unit. Y Calcares president Viola Johanson is also from Lethbridge.

Well known in dramatic circles at BYU are Bryce Spencer and Jelesse Coletti Terry, both of Cardston. Donnee Merrill, Lethbridge

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Denver, Utah State games to test Cats over long weekend

Denver University was the victim of a vengeful Brigham Young University cage squad Monday night, when the Cougars regained some of their Wyoming-loss glory by rolling over the Pioneers to the tune of 63-45 in the new Denver field house.

Monday's victory was the first in three conference starts for Cats. It was Denver's second loss and threw them out of a three-way tie for first place with Wyoming and Utah State.

Paced by Roland Minson, Mel Hutchins and Joe Nelson the BYU quintet displayed a complete reversal of form over their showing against the Wyoming Cowboys on Friday and Saturday of last week.

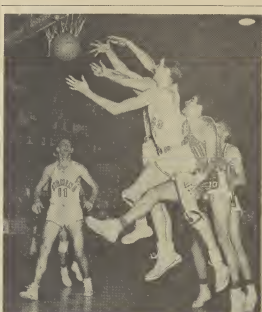
Minson was top scorer for the evening, bucketing 19 points on eight field goals and three charity tosses. Nelson, who was still having bad luck on some of his shots, connected for 13 markers.

Hutchins was easily the outstanding man on the boards during the evening. Hatch worked the fast, festive backboard in the manner he is capable of, while a hot Y team made his job easy on the offensive board.

Dale Toft, Denver's brilliant sophomore center, was limited to one field goal in the first half, but he wound up the game with a 14 point total.

BYU jumped into an early lead that was never threatened by the Pioneers. At the half-way mark the Cats were out in front 32-14. Coach Stan Watts used every man on his 13 man traveling squad.

Bob Craig and Jerry Romney, the other two Y starters, notched eight and six points, respectively, besides turning in good floor games.



THE BALLET RusSE COMES TO LARAMIE—Action in the Wyoming game shows Hillman and Beem without a look-in.

Provo five mauls Pioneers, gets back in Skyline chase

Brigham Young University's unpredictable basketball crew will show their wares before a home crowd for the first time this season in conference competition on Friday and Saturday nights. Denver University and Utah State will furnish the opposition for these first two home tilts.

The Cougars will take the floor against the Denver Pioneers on Friday night in the Springville high school gymnasium, and on Saturday night the locals meet the Aggies from Logan.

To date Coach Stan Watts' castra have notched up one victory in three Skyline Six battles. That single victory was a lopsided one over the same Pioneers who will trot onto the Springville hardwood Friday night.

If the Cougars expect to stay in the thick of the fight for the 1950 conference crown, a double win this weekend is almost a necessity.

With a home court advantage, the Y will definitely be favored over the Dale Toft-led DU quintet. Saturday night's contest with Utah State is something else again.

The Aggies are currently tied for the top spot in league standings, and have tasted defeat only once in conference play. Utah's Redskins were the victims of a double Farmer victory last week-end in games that established Utah State as a contender for league honors.

Hustling LaDell Anderson and Rollo Johnson along with C. P. Jorgenson are the Aggie sparkplugs. When these boys are on, the Logan lads are a hard bunch to handle. But the AC squad is also noted for its hot and cold brand of play, which makes Saturday's game a hard one to call.

Superior talent, however, and with a partisan crowd behind them the Cougars have to be given a slight nod. Potentially the BYU cagers are capable of taking almost any quintet in the country to the cleaners, but potentialities never win games as the Y squad has already learned.

If Mel Hutchins, Joe Nelson and Roland Minson have just a fair amount of luck on their shooting and do some hustling besides, then Cougar fans should see the home season started out on the right foot. Three BYU scoring aces will have to be backed up to the hilt, however by front line guards, Jerry Romney and Bob Craig.

Skyline Six CONFERENCE STANDING

Team	W	L	Pct.
Utah State	4	1	.800
Wyoming	4	1	.800
Denver	2	2	.667
BYU	2	3	.400
Colorado A&M	1	2	.333
Idaho	0	6	.000

SCHEDULE	
Jan. 30	Denver at BYU
Jan. 21	Wyoming at Colo. A&M
Jan. 21	Utah State at BYU
Jan. 21	Denver at Utah
Jan. 23	BYU at Utah State
Jan. 23	Idaho at Utah

Gloves tourney goal of boxers

A large delegation of BYU "leather pushers" are hard at work preparing for the coming Golden Gloves Tourney, held annually in the Ogden High school gymnasium.

One of the outstanding entrants now entraining for America's biggest amateur "dagfest," is a little package of dynamite who goes by the name of Jonathan "Shorty" Shiro.

During his prep work at the second of his prep camps, Shiro was one of the best boxers in the state, and he is expected to be a contender for the title.

Lynn Ridding, former freshman light-weight boxing champ is entering in the 135 lb. class.

The following boys are working out daily at the Men's Gym under the tutelage of Clifford Olmstead. John Muehle 160 pound class, Ronald Gibbs, Phil Kennington, Charles Barbee, 147 pound class, John Ings, 135 pound class, Carl Uyeda, 126 pound class.

Y men lag in scoring chase

With 15 conference games in the records, here is the rundown on the individual scoring thus far.

Top point producer thus far is Roland Minson, who has scored 131 points in 15 games. Ram's Glen Anderson, who has tallied 78 points in six games. Runner-up is Utah State's Ken



Roland Minson ... top Y Scorer

Berrett with 60 points. The honors for the best average go to Denver's Dale Toft, however. The eighth flash has averaged 14.8 points per game, having missed two of his team's conference games because of injuries.

Here are the players ranked according to their averages.

Player and team	G	P	Avg.
Toft, Denver	4	25	15.9
G. Anderson, Colo. A&M	6	29	15.0
Berrett, UNAC	15	10	12.0
Minson, BYU	17	20	10.8
Minson, BYU	17	18	10.6
Pace, Wyoming	19	15	10.3
L. Anderson, UNAC	21	12	10.0
R. Johnson, UNAC	20	11	10.0
L. Amala, Utah	12	11	10.0
Dowell, Denver	20	17	9.7
Condie, Utah	0	12	9.7
McIntosh, BYU	0	12	9.7
Sejman, BYU	0	16	11.2
Nelson, BYU	0	11	9.7

Cats claw Pioneers

Utah State's Pioneers were the victims of a vengeful Brigham Young University cage squad Monday night, when the Cougars regained some of their Wyoming-loss glory by rolling over the Pioneers to the tune of 63-45 in the new Denver field house.

Monday's victory was the first in three conference starts for Cats. It was Denver's second loss and threw them out of a three-way tie for first place with Wyoming and Utah State.

Paced by Roland Minson, Mel Hutchins and Joe Nelson the BYU quintet displayed a complete reversal of form over their showing against the Wyoming Cowboys on Friday and Saturday of last week.

Minson was top scorer for the evening, bucketing 19 points on eight field goals and three charity tosses. Nelson, who was still having bad luck on some of his shots, connected for 13 markers.

Hutchins was easily the outstanding man on the boards during the evening. Hatch worked the fast, festive backboard in the manner he is capable of, while a hot Y team made his job easy on the offensive board.

Dale Toft, Denver's brilliant sophomore center, was limited to one field goal in the first half, but he wound up the game with a 14 point total.

BYU jumped into an early lead that was never threatened by the Pioneers. At the half-way mark the Cats were out in front 32-14. Coach Stan Watts used every man on his 13 man traveling squad.

Bob Craig and Jerry Romney, the other two Y starters, notched eight and six points, respectively, besides turning in good floor games.

skyline scoops

by FRED RADICHEL

The sounding of the Y bell last Monday night signifying the victory over Denver was the sweetest music (?) we've heard in quite some time.

Listening to games over the radio is better than nothing, but it's hard to put your finger on what's wrong with a team merely by listening to their games over the radio. The Denver game proved to our satisfaction that there is nothing basically wrong with the Cougar five. Nothing, that is, that a little hot shooting can't cure.

We were as puzzled as most by the Cats' alarming collapse up at Laramie. We hadn't expected more than a split at best, but the manner in which Ev Shelton's Cowboys toyed with the Provo team Saturday night made us wonder.

The "Hell's Half Acre" rout will have to be written off as just one of those things. The Cats were cold, the Cowboys were hot, the officiating was up (or is it down?) to the usual Laramie standard, and the combination was too much for Stan Watt's boys.

In an attempt to find out what (if anything) was the matter with the Cougars, we browsed back over the season's box scores and discovered what all BYU fans have realized right along—that as Minson and Nelson go, so do the Cats.

There has been a tendency to make a Big Three out of Minson, Nelson, and Hutchins, but we don't believe that this is fair to Mel himself. In the Watts offensive set-up, the forwards play a deep double post, and the center plays out with the guards. How can Hutch possibly be expected to score high when his only chances for buckets come on tip-ins, drive-in shots off the break, and an occasional long set? All the other centers in the Skyline Six play the post. Mel doesn't. He has averaged about ten points per game, and that's a good average.

But to get back to Minny and Nelson—we checked back over the games which the Cougars have lost and there's a definite correlation between the scoring of the Big Two, and the outcome of the game.

The Pepperdine game was the first loss of the year. In it Joe and Minny hit for only 12 points. The guards, all four, hit for six.

The Gonzaga game saw the Big Two score 26, but the guards tallied only two. The score in the Belmont game was 63-61. It could have gone either way.

Because of his mother's death, Joe Nelson missed the last three games of the eastern swing. The Cats dropped two by wide margins to Toledo and Bowling Green, then beat Loyola when Minson got hot and hit for 23 counters.

Then there were the Laramie games. Both were sub-par performances for Nelson and Minson. But they came back strong in the Denver game, and so did the team.

The reason that the pressure is so heavy on Nelson and Minson seems to be the inability of the team to hit from outside. As a result, the defense can set off, bottle up the forwards, and clog up the middle, nullifying the Cats' break plays.

Wherever the defense can be drawn out, the offense clicks.

Our defense this season has been good in all but a few games.

We're not worrying about the conference title yet.

Wyoming is nearly unbeatable up at Laramie, but they're just another good team when they travel. Denver proved that.

And the league this year is so set up that five of the teams must be regarded as contenders. The eventual conference titlist has a long way to go yet. We're hoping that the Skyline Six championship will be decided on March 3 and 4. That's when Wyoming comes down to Springville. We can't wait.

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Tall, fast Kitten five begin play

When the Cougar freshmen play this weekend, they will probably field a starting team averaging 6 ft 2 in., rather tall for a frosh quint. According to Coach Wayne Soffe, the team will include Boyd Jarman, Lyman, Wyo., 6 ft 5 in.; Loren Dunn, Tooele, 6 ft 3 in.; Joe Richel, St. John's, Ariz., 6 ft 1 in.; Ralph Olsen, Provo, 5 ft 11 in.; and Lowell Taylor, Farmington, 6 ft 1 in.

Friday night the Kittens' opponents will be the Weber Junior College team, while Saturday and Monday they will pair off against the Utah State frosh.

The frosh hold one decision over the Weber outfit. This was a 55-54 overtime win last December Joe Richey was easily the outstanding player of that clash as he dunked 10 out of 22 shots and scored 22 points.

Leading the Weber attack in the game was Darrell Tucker, former Weber High all-stater, who tallied 16 points. He was aided by Sewell and Dinsdale with 12 and 10 respectively.

Nothing is known about the Utah State freshmen, but they carried some of the state's better players last fall. The games figure to be close.

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"I warned him he was jumping too high for those rebounders."

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Five teams sport undefeated records in two 'mural loops

At the end of two rounds of play, the Thursday and Saturday basketball intramural basketball leagues are beginning to show which teams will reign.

Two games for each team have helped to show their weaknesses or strength. Of course, some teams will improve as the season goes on. Intramural sports are always dotted with team aspe.

In the Thursday's league we find the Sixers and Footballers tied for the top spot with two impressive wins each. After the Faculty's 58 to 29 win over California, they are also a team to watch.

Saturday's league has the Marauders as the number one quintet after defeating the Hawaiians and Warriors. Washington-Montana is next in line with its easy victory over the Canadian club.

Thursday's League

Team	Win	Loss
Sixers	2	0
Footballers	2	0
Bingham Miners	1	0
Delta Phi	1	1
Faculty	1	1
California	0	1
Termites	0	2
Alpha Kappa Psi	0	2

Results

Dec. 7

Sixers 40, Alpha Kappa Psi 17
Footballers 37, Termites 32
Delta Phi 24, Faculty 21

Jan. 12

Faculty 58, California 29
Footballers 49, Delta Phi 35
Sixers 52, Termites 37
Bingham Miners 44, A K Psi 19

Saturday's League

Team	Win	Loss
Marauders	2	0
Wash-Montana	1	0
Canadians	1	1
Hawaiians	1	1
Warriors	0	1
Fourflushers	0	2

Results

Dec. 10

Marauders 41, Hawaiians 8
Canadians 31, Fourflushers 28
Jan. 14
Marauders 24, Warriors 19
Faculty
Wash-Montana 56, Canadians 29
Hawaiians won by forfeit over Fourflushers.

Shutterbug Chit-Chat

by Pix

TURNER'S WORLD-PRIZE FILM

Two hundred lucky people saw "One Summer's Day" in the First Ward Amusement Hall on Thursday night. It was even more wonderful than we thought it would be. We hope we can get the film again for those who couldn't make it Thursday. If possible to get it again we will let you know through this column. In any event it will be several weeks, as the film has been sent East again for special showings.

THE TRAVELING SALON AND CONTEST:

We now have entry blanks in our shop for the Provo Camera Club Salon Competition, which will close on January 28, as the exhibit will begin on February 5. You can leave your entry at our store if you wish to avoid mailing charges. The camera club has an array of prizes generously donated by the other sporting and photography stores in Provo, and we can really look forward to a worth-while contest.

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